

## PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

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| 1. DATE<br>8 Oct 1963  | 2. LOCATION<br>32°07.7'N 117°17.5'W (Pacific)   | 12. CONCLUSIONS  |              |  |
| 3. DATE-TIME GROUP<br>Local _____<br>GMT 09/0330Z  | 4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar<br><input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar | <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon<br><br><input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft<br><br><input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical<br><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Satellite<br><input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation<br><input type="checkbox"/> Unknown |              |  |
| 5. PHOTOS<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No  | 6. SOURCE<br>Military   |  |              |  |
| 7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION<br>14 Minutes<br>16 14 seconds  | 8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS<br>1   | 9. COURSE<br>SE  | 11. COMMENTS |  |
| 10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING<br>Object at 270 deg az 15 deg elev moving to<br>165 deg az 15 deg elev. In sight 14 minutes.<br>Bright light with mag of Jupiter. |   |  |              |  |

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# Memorandum

TO : J. S. Lacey, OPI  
NASA, Greenbelt

Code 5511:CW  
DATE: 25 October 1963

FROM : Nautical Information Branch  
U.S. Naval Oceanographic Office

SUBJECT: Nautical information; forwarding of

Encl: (1) Speedletter from Commanding Officer, USS CALVERT (APA-32) dtd 18 Oct 1963

1. Enclosure (1) forwarded for your information.

"Forwarded as a matter of routine  
to your organization. Your attention  
to this matter will be appreciated.

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*Ed Mason 11/6/63*  
Ed Mason  
Public Information Officer  
Goddard Space Flight Center



U. S. S. CALVERT (APA-32)  
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From: Commanding Officer, USS CALVERT (APA-32)  
To: U. S. Navy Hydrographic Office, Washington, D. C. 20395

Refs: (a) H.O. Pub 808

At 0330 GMT 9 October 1963, an object believed to be a satellite was observed in the western sky, traveling on a south easterly course.

Characteristics:

- a. Initial bearing 270°, Altitude 15°.
- b. Bearing at time of disappearance 165°, Altitude 15°.
- c. Bright white light.
- d. Relative size equal to that of Jupiter.
- e. Total time in sight 14 minutes.

Observational information:

Ships Position: Lat 32°07.7' N Long 117°17.5' W

Ships Course: 090°T

Ships speed: 5 kts

Sea state: Calm

True wind: 305° at 10 kts

Temperature: Dry 71° Wet 67°

Visibility: Excellent

Barometer: 29.92 inches

Clouds: 2/10 stratus, 1,000 feet

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Observer's Name:

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- b. KENNEDY, T. A., 645809/1105, 17WG, USAF, Navigator

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